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The President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. President:

Incident to your appointments of Mr. Helms and me,  
may I inform you that we are advancing Mr. [redacted]  
to the position formerly occupied by Mr. Helms as Deputy  
Director for Plans. [redacted] will continue  
in the number two position under [redacted] as Assistant  
Deputy Director for Plans.

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Mr. Lyman B. Kirkpatrick, a senior officer in the  
Agency for many years and most recently Executive Director,  
has voluntarily submitted his resignation effective in early  
July to accept a professorship at Brown University. I regret  
that Mr. Kirkpatrick is leaving, but I felt that I should  
defer to his long-standing wish for an opportunity to teach  
and to do research. He will be replaced by an officer from  
inside the Agency as soon as we can make appropriate adjust-  
ments.

Respectfully yours,

SIGNED

W. F. Raborn

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